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Irrigation in the Canadian Pacific Railway Irrigation Block is no longer a dream. In the year since it has been tried having already demonstrated its success wherever intelligently applied.

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I have in my car of

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Also car of Plows, Discs and Harrows. Also Harrow Carts.

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Things We Have Been Told

Fred Rowatti arrived from Minot, N.D. on Saturday to make arrangements for the big crop.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gerow are back from Nanton. Mr. Gerow is going to rent land, he says that the people were may have the high priced land, but this district is good enough for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Daniels spent the week end at their farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Osterloh spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. Hutchinson.

C. Goss visited in the Innisfail district during the holidays.

R. Nimmons was down from Calgary over Sunday at the F. Brown home.

Messrs Drummond, McEwen and Brown were in Medicine Hat last Friday on Masonic Lodge business.

Mr. and Mrs. Thornton and family spent Easter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Ogle at Kananaskis. A great deal of enjoyment was had on the lake that has appeared this spring and a home built boat.

H. B. Brigham was in Medicine Hat over the holidays.

Miss Evans spent the holidays at home in Medicine Hat.

Frank Shields was confined to house with a cold the first of the week.

Dr. McEwen accompanied by Mrs. McEwen left on Sunday by car to visit his father and mother to Brutus. Owing to the storm it was Tuesday before they got back.

T. H. Topping was in Calgary on business last week.

Carl Rasmussen was in Calgary last week.

The Misses Levica and Mary Litch are visiting in Edmonton.

Miss Johnstone, teacher of Club school is spending this week at her home in Calgary.

Mrs Hoy and Miss Seymour spent Easter at Calgary. While there they attended the wedding of Miss Seymour's sister.

Enos Litch has returned from the Agricultural College at Clareholm.

Mr. Rosenberg returned Friday from spending the winter at Burlington, Iowa, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Smith. Mrs. Smith is sister to Mr. Rosenberg. Mr. Smith has bought Miss Rosenberg's farm and will put it up this spring.

At the Anglican service Sunday a memorial service will be held for Claude Woolley, killed in action, April 10th 1917.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sobie have returned from Calgary and taken up residence on the farm.

Shoe and Harness Repairs

See Pete Nelson
In old Massey Harris Building

Successful Concert

The entertainment held in the Club school the evening of March 28th in aid of the Red Cross proved a decided success. Quite a number were present and the receipts for the evening were \$14.18. Rev. G. Steele occupied the chair, and also gave quite clear explanation of our flag and how it became a union, which was very interesting. The children rendered quite a long program and each one did their part well. Messrs Roy Dahl and Harold Litch were quite at home behind their curtains, while M. I. is a Ruth Anne. After singing, piano solos and dialogues a grand luncheon was served; sandwiches, cake, coffee and ice cream galore. As it is the first entertainment that has been arranged by the Neff and Club school districts, Miss Johnston, the teacher, deserves great credit. And while we are giving praise to all who did their part, we do not forget our ladies, they know how to provide the good things.

A Night Off

An evening of humorous and complicated situations is promised on Friday evening in the play to be staged by local talent in McDavid Hall. A wife, anxious to know what her husband's past life has been, gets a "thriller," to which an English lord, in search of a lost son, does not help any. The old college professor also has a secret, which is a Roman tragedy written by himself and staged by a travelling stock company. There is, of course, a pretty love scene, in which the lord finds his lost son and at the same time all mysteries are solved and everybody lives gaily ever after.

Questions for Exempted Men

Case of each will be reviewed in order to insure even administration of Service Act.

One of the most significant of the many evidences of that comradeship in arms now existing between the great powers is the freedom with which each is borrowing from the notebook of the other. The United States, as the later entrant into the struggle for the maintenance of the free institutions of the earth, necessarily began as a debtor, in the matter of experience, to the neighbor which had been in the fight from the beginning. But in a certain sense it may be said that the American Republic has already liquidated that indebtedness. Certainly when the final balance is struck, it will be found that the United States will have paid back with interest, all the military shorts acquired in the early days of the Allies. One of the many ideas for which we are already indebted to the United States is the questionnaire, designed to make for a uniform application of the Military Service Act. These questionnaires, following the practice employed by the United States, will be mailed to all exempted men, who must return them properly filled in, without delay, or forfeit their certificates of exemption. Any change in address should be at once communicated to the District Registrar, an failure to return questionnaires will be regarded as of the same effect as failure to return it properly filled in. The general public are invited to assist the government, to the fullest possible extent, in the even administration of the act.

Police Court

A poolroom inspector dropped off the train last Saturday, with the result that the proprietor of the local poolroom appeared before Justice of Peace Hall, on a charge of allowing a minor on the premises and a charge of allowing swearing on the premises, and released on payment of a fine of \$10.00 and costs on the former and \$5.00 and costs on the latter charge; the costs in each instance being \$2.75.

In this same connection six men

are to appear in court today on a charge of using obscene language.

Tide Lake

J. W. Wise has returned home

after spending the winter at his old home in Indiana.

Wm. Callow has sold his farming interests, consisting of three quarters of a section, at a price, understood, of \$15,000.00.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Berry have returned to their farm after spending the winter at Calgary, Vancouver, Victoria and all points west.

Miss Gloria Olson visited at the Hunter house on Wednesday.

Amel Matty is busy these days fixing his house and installing new furniture. Wonder why!

R. J. Mille made a business trip to Alderson this week.

The glorious Easter snow storm was enjoyed by all, especially a few members of the Tide Lake Auto Club, who stayed away too far.

P. Pedersen and family spent

Easter Sunday at the Koepchen home. If you've got a grub, don't say nasty words and blame it on the Ford. Henry isn't to blame.

OUR TEN DAY SALE

Ended on March 30th. To say that it was success is putting it mildly. So many people took advantage of this sale that we are satisfied that we accomplished what we started out to do. We believe that we have demonstrated that we have the goods and that our prices are right.

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we keep all lines we carry,
strictly up-to-date, and can
always supply your wants

Our new Automobile tires are
now on display, a fine assort-
ment of the different makes to
choose from.

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Spring Millinery
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On Friday April 12th

We will be in your town with a complete stock of High Class Millinery in Ladies Trimmed and Tailored Hats, also Misses and children's.

Leghorn Panamas and lacquered effects—the latest styles that are showing today.

We hope all the ladies of Alderson and surrounding country will remember this date and call.

We trust that we will be able to meet your demands as our IDA J. BAKER

MEDICINE HAT

Leave Your Clock and Watch Repairs

With Dr. McEwen, Alderson
Suffield Trading Co.
Powers Bros., Suffield

W. W. Stokes, Suffield R.R. No. 1

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The Free Methodist of Southern Alberta hold a district quarterly service in Alderson, beginning on Thursday April 4th, and continuing over Sunday. Services as follows: Preaching 7:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Saturday 9:30 a.m. quarterly conference, preaching at 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, lovefeast at 10 a.m., followed by preaching at 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Visiting ministers are expected to be present. Rev. R. H. Shoup, of Edmonton, will have charge.

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Speeding Up at Panama

The operation of the Panama canal has been speeded up so that vessels are now passing through it in less than 48 hours, instead of the 10 days or more of 30 per cent. within the last six months. Only a few weeks ago the canal authorities were sometimes weeks in doubling Cape Horn, while steamships using the Suez Canal made the round trip in 10 days. Last year the canal took a similar period in running around the South American continent, but now the average time is water raised above the oceans is fulfilling expectations. — From the Christian Science Monitor.

He Knows Just Why
He Admires ThemDODD'S KIDNEY CURED
MRS. MERCIERI

Six Has Been Ill Two Years and Could Find No Cure. That's Why Her Husband Is Enthusiastic Over Dodd's Kidney Pills.

140 Smith, Atlanta, (Special) — Among all the thousands of Canadians who praise Dodd's Kidney Pills for the good they have done them, there is none finer than Isidor Mervier, who has had the great kidney remedy since 1912. "It always gives me pleasure to say a good word for Dodd's Kidney Pills," he says. "They have cured me sick for two years. We could not find anything to restore her health. Then we found a pamphlet telling of several persons who had been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills."

"My wife used just two boxes of them and she is perfectly well, though she has had many severe attacks. They can tell you all about the same thing. I cannot recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills highly enough."

Dodd's Kidney Pills are the greatest of all remedies for weak, suffering women and children of all kinds. The kidneys are the root of nine-tenths of all diseases. Moreover, each pill contains a clear fluid all over the body. That means good health everywhere.

Officer—Conceditions? Objection? Rubbish! If you were to come and find me, I'd give you a burlap, wouldn't you interfere?

No, sir! I'd leave the burlap to his fate.—Life.

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Insist on having an
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**EDDY'S
Chemically Self-Extinguishing
"Silent 500s"**

**The Matches With "No
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EDDY is the only Canadian maker of three matches, every stick of which has been treated with a special chemical which positively ensures the match becoming dead wood once it has been lighted and blown out.

Look for the words "Chemically self-extinguishing" on the box.

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To Promote Mixed Farming

Alberta's Boost of Mixed Farms Is the "Cow Bill"

One of the most useful pieces of legislation recently enacted in Alberta legislation is the initiative of Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of Agriculture, in what is known as "The Cow Bill." The main object of this measure is to promote mixed farming in Alberta. The bill can be summarized as follows: The government endorses the principles of this bill by the endorsement of the provincial legislature, and the loan bank for the purchase of cows and helpers. The province has as its secretary, and on that security, borrows money from the loan bank for the purchase of cows and helpers.

The loans bear 6 per cent. interest, and are to be repaid in full within 10 years. The loans can be obtained at the inspection of an office of the department of agriculture.

Alberta's farmers are already loaned largely taken advantage of, said Mr. Marshall, "some \$60,000 having been disbursed to date under the provisions."

The merits of the proposal are that many men who would not otherwise be able to buy a cow will have been put in a position to start at once in the production of live stock.

To help these men should have

the increase of their herds many benefits.

Every number of the cattle purchased have been secured at a low price.

The cow will be a valuable asset.

Mr. Wm. McInroy, Bananique, Ont., says, "The cow will be a valuable asset to the farmer, because the blood rich and red quickly revives the nervous system. A nervous person who gives these pills a trial is certain to be cured. The benefit is lasting because the trouble is lasting."

The one big fact that brings hope and relief is that the nerves can be strengthened.

It cannot be too often repeated that only through the blood can nourish the nerves.

Dr. William's Pink Pills make the blood rich and red quickly, reviving the nervous system.

A nervous person who gives these pills a trial is certain to be cured.

The test would not start me off.

Every sufferer should know that

the blood restores the nerve force.

It is why people who occasionally take Dr. William's Pink Pills are bright, active and strong.

Wm. McInroy, Bananique, Ont., says, "The blood was always tired and listless. The

pill would flutter, and I would feel as though I were choking. I was almost a burden. I tried several different things, but nothing worked.

In the least one I received pamphlet described Dr. William's Pink Pills. I took a box and after one trial, I am glad now that I did not buy eight boxes they have

been a great help to me.

My nerves are now strong and

never so nervous as before.

If you are nervous or feel "out of sorts" give Dr. William's Pink Pills. You will be surprised to see how quickly the nervousness will pass away and you will be well again.

Then he explained to the bewigged child that if he presented himself to the doctor he would give him the saw to get him back.

The boy went off delicately, but firmly, to the doctor's office.

He had delivered the first

word of his message in his country's World Outlook.

No matter how dejected the corn or may be, it must yield as directed.

Waugh Irritated

A dray employed as a coach boy in Kentish Town, London, one morning with face that looked as though it had run through a mud puddle.

"Henry," demanded his surprised employer, "what in the world has happened to you?"

"Well, sir, boss," explained Henry, "I got into a little argument last night with another dray boy, and that led to another. I up and hit him. Well, sir, it seemed like a good idea at the time, but I hit both of my eyes and bit one of my ears off; and den he threw me down and stamped me in the stomach, and I am still here."

Costs but a quarter at any drug store.

Instant Postum

Captain Loftus Jones was a Real Hero of the True British Mouth.

The hero has at least proved that the human race is not less equal to the buffers of fate or the creases of the soul than it ever was.

He is a real life-saver, and a parrot can live in contact with that medicine, which is not only a worm killer, but also a tonic and a cure most beneficial to the young constitution, and as such it has no superior.

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Wo to the Conquered

If anyone was under illusion about the temper of Germany, that illusion must have been dispelled by the peace terms imposed on Russia. It is now apparent that there was hope in the liberal party that Germany would be beaten, but that supposition is now shown to be a dream. The German terms are now so harsh that even the motto of Germany's motto is the motto of the pagan world, "Wo to the conqueror, death to the vanquished." The German girl, with her chosen field and with her own weapons, turned her back on the savagely dog—Kansas City Times.

WEAK, NERVOUS PEOPLE

**Such Sufferers Can Be Restored by
Taking Up the Blood**

Nervous people have lived and developed a disease that can be recognized and treated by the medical profession. The treatment of finding relief from nervous disorders, headache, sleeplessness, nervous dyspepsia, insomnia, etc., is the best way to defeat Germany in her chosen field and with her own weapons.

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Red Cross Notes

CONDUCTED BY MRS. E. C. HAY.

Owing to the play for Red Cross land, there will be no white drive on Friday.

Friday April 12th will be the last of the series. Don't fail to come. The drive last Friday netted the sum of \$12.00. Mr. and Mrs. Reenders donated three prizes which were won by Mrs. F. J. Brown, Mr. A. J. Drummond and Mr. W. Irvin.

Special mention must be made of the committees worked on the Victory Loan, for turning in their commissions to the funds. The gentlemen are: Messrs Drummond, Starr, Hall, McEwen, Stuart and Daizell. The amount is \$50.00.

The society wishes to acknowledge with thanks the following donations and subscriptions:

LIFE MEMBERSHIP
Mrs A. J. Drummond \$25.00
DONATIONS

Tide Lake	\$50.00
"Hart Times" Party	8.55
Rev G. A. Steele	2.00
E. Hall	2.00
J. Riebenbecker	7.00
Victory Bond Committee	68.85
N. E. Stuart	5.00
A Friend	1.75
Mrs John McEwen	1.00

ACTIVE MEMBERS	
Mrs W. M. Cotter	2.00
Mrs J. H. Gesson	2.00
ASSOCIATE MEMBERS	
W. M. Cotter	1.00
E. Wodilken	1.00
J. O. Van Leeuwen, Tripola	1.00
A. Van Leeuwen	1.00
G. B. Van Leeuwen	1.00
John Van Leeuwen	1.00

MISCELLANEOUS ADS

FOR SALE—Team of four year old mares, also four colts. Apply C. O. Olson, 24-16-10. -14p

FOR SALE—Horses and mules, one red shorthorn bull, rising two years; one Hereford bull, rising three years; two Tolouse ganders, rising one year; three incubators, one half section of land, near town. Highest price paid for cattle. J. H. Gesson, Live Stock Auctioneer.

FOR SALE—Three mares, one hog Hans Kolding, 33-17-9. -18

FOR SALE—Eight year old work mare, heavy in foal, cheap for cash. Also black Spanish chickens \$1.50 each. A. A. Joho, 16-16-10. -18

WANTED—Good driving outfit, single roadster or team of ponies. Will pay cash. Rev. G. A. Steele, Alderson. -12-p

LOST—One bay gelding, white face 3 white legs, weight about 1500, age 5 years, Brand dumbbell on jaw. Reward \$10. Anton Larson, Rufield, S.W. 23-16-9. -18-p

WILL—the man who borrowed J. Havercamp's lock end gate please return same to his barn at once. -18

FOR SALE—200 bus. clean flax, would make seed, at \$4.00 per bus. Canada Irrigation Land Co., Suffield. -9-18

TURKEYS For sale, 3 hens, 1 tom. Apply T. H. Harris, 2-16-10. 12-p

TENDERS FOR SCHOOLHOUSE

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Board of Trustees of School District, New Holland, No. 3380, at the office of the secretary-treasurer, up to noon of April 22nd 1918, for the erection of a Frame School Building.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the secretary treasurer, S. & 24-17-7 west 4th, Mer, or at A. J. Drummond's Hardware Store, Alderson.

The lowest, or any tender, will not necessarily be accepted.

G. H. JANSEN
Secretary-treasurer

Alderson, Alberta,
March 30th, 1918.

Church Notices

ROMAN CATHOLIC

Mass will be said at Mr. Moca's on Friday April 12th at 9 a.m.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Sunday April 7th
Holy Communion 1 p.m.
Evening and sermon 8.30 p.m.
Rev. H. C. S. Gibson, Vicar

UNION CHURCH SERVICE S

Sunday School at 11 a.m.
Public Service at 7:30 p.m.
Rev. G. A. Steele, Pastor.

FREE METHODIST

Praching 2 P. M. and 7.30 P. M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7.30 P. M.

Any needing spiritual help will be visited by applying to the pastor

R. R. or F. E. Haight

LUTHERAN

Service will be held in the United Church on Sunday, April 14th at 1 p.m.

Dentistry

Dr. J. Cleary Wray will be in Alderson on Monday and Tuesday, April 29, and 30.

Alderson Amateurs

Appear in the Four Act Comedy

A NIGHT OFF

Friday, April, 5th,

In McDIARMID'S HALL

Curtain Goes Up 8.30 p.m.

Proceeds for Red Cross Fund

Popular Prices

Come and have a good laugh
DANCE TO FOLLOW

Last One of
the Season

WHAT?

The Red Cross Whist Drives

WHEN?

Next Friday in Johnson's Hall. Don't fail to come. A dance will follow the distribution of the prizes and a good time is promised.

UNION BANK
OF CANADAWith Cash in the Bank
You Can Buy to Advantage

You know how everything costs more when you have to buy on credit. Why not practice self-denial for a while if necessary, and save a little money in the Union Bank of Canada, and when the time comes to hand buy at cash prices? The discounts will help to swell your bank balance, and you will have made a good start towards financial independence.

Alderson Branch

O. J. WOOD, Manager

Magazines

Smokers' Supplies

We are the Headquarters for all the latest magazines, etc. We also stock a full line of Pipes, case and withers, Tobacco Pouches, cigar Holders, etc. We shall be glad to show them to you.

The Palace Ice Cream Parlor

The Pioneer Dray Line

Specialists in prompt and efficient transportation.

J. T. Pick, Prop.

Our Job Department

is busy these days

But we will be able to do that work for you to your to your satisfaction.

PROMPT DELIVERY

THE
ALDERSON NEWS

Military Service Act

Important Announcement to All
EXEMPTED MEN
and to the Public Generally

In dealing with the very large number of claims for exemption brought forward for consideration in connection with Class I under the Military Service Act, it has occurred, as was inevitable, that as a result of false statements and difficulties put in the way of investigation, some individuals have secured exemption whose proper place is in the Army.

It is not the intention of the Government to allow these men to evade permanently their obligation to bear their part in the military defence of the Country and of the ideals for which we are fighting. To do so would defeat the purpose of the Act, and cause grave injustice to men in the second class necessarily called out to fill their places.

Exemptions Granted on False Grounds

It is, therefore, proposed to scrutinize carefully all exemptions granted to date in order to ascertain which have been granted on false or insufficient grounds from those that are well founded. With this object in view the various Registrars under the Military Service Act have been instructed to issue a series of questionnaires to exempted men. These questionnaires must be filled up correctly and returned promptly under penalty of forfeiture or exemption for failure to do so.

Exempted Men Who Have Changed Address

It is therefore important in their own interest that all exempted men who have changed their address since their exemption was granted and who have not already notified the Registrar of such change, should notify him at once. Under the Registration Act it is the duty of exempted men to keep the Registrar advised of any change of address. Failure to receive the questionnaire by reason of neglect of this duty must be treated as equivalent to failure to return the questionnaire after receipt.

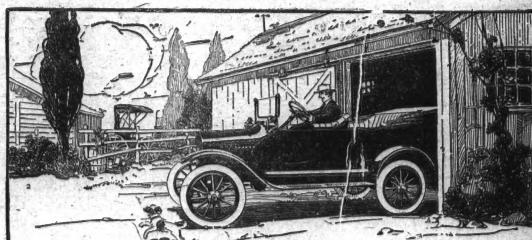
Citizens Urged to Assist

In many instances information has been furnished by members of the public which has led to the cancellation of exemptions obtained by means of misleading statements. Further, the operation of this law is invited. The Government regard it as the duty of all loyal citizens, not only to the Country, but to the men at the front, to assist in this way in securing reinforcements on a just and legal basis. Correspondence of this character will be treated as strictly confidential and will receive the fullest investigation.

CHARLES J. DOHERTY,

Minister of Justice.

Correspondence should be directed to J. M. Carson, Esq., Registrar under the Military Service Act, Calgary, Alta. 402M

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With a Ford

More than 100,000 Fords are owned by people in Canada in preference to the old horse-drawn buggy and other makes of cars.

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